



Indiana Special Agriculture Report



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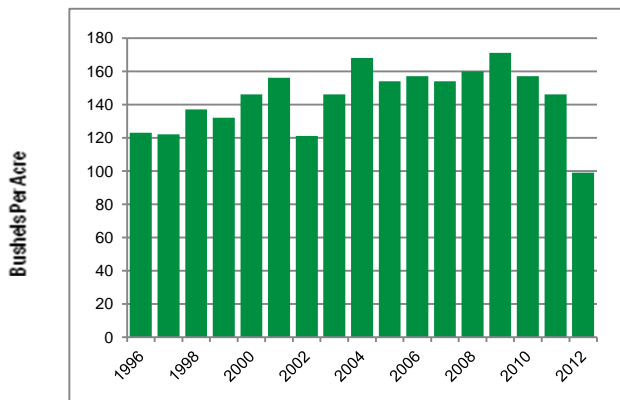
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INDIANA FARMERS REPORT CORN AND SOYBEAN PRODUCTION DOWN

Indiana ranked seventh nationally in 2012 for the total value of principal crops at \$8.28 billion, 7 percent below the 8.93 billion total value during 2011.

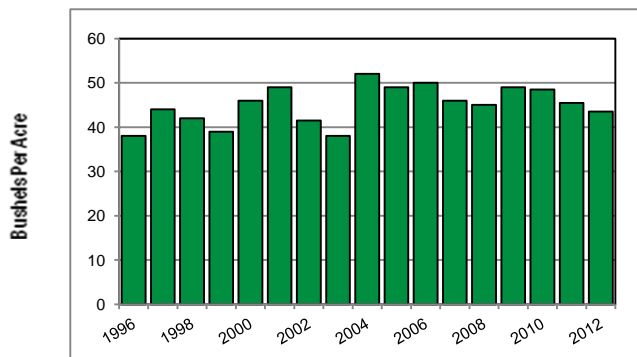
CORN produced by Indiana farmers during 2012 totaled 597.0 million bushels, 29 percent below the 839.5 million bushels produced during 2011. The average yield of 99 bushels per acre was 47 bushels below the previous year's yield of 146 bushels per acre.

Indiana Corn Yield
1996 – 2012



SOYBEAN production was 223.6 million bushels, 7 percent below the 240.7 million bushels produced one year ago. The average yield was 43.5 bushels per acre, 2.0 bushels below the 2011 yield of 45.5 bushels per acre.

Indiana Soybean Yield
1996 – 2012



WINTER WHEAT production decreased 19 percent from a year earlier, to 20.1 million bushels. The average yield at 67 bushels per acre was 5 bushels above the previous year's yield of 62 bushels per acre.

OAT production of 350 thousand bushels was 18 percent below the 427 thousand bushels produced in 2011. The average yield of 70 bushels per acre was 9 bushels above the 61 bushel average in 2011.

ALL HAY production of 1.5 million tons decreased 22 percent below the previous year. The 630,000 acres of hay harvested was 6 percent below the 2011 level. Average yield was 2.34 tons per acre, .50 tons below last year's average yield of 2.84.

Indiana's **ALFALFA HAY** production of 812 thousand tons was down 32 percent from a year ago. The average yield of 2.9 tons per acre was down 27 percent from the previous year.

OTHER HAY production of 665 thousand tons decreased 5 percent from the 703 thousand tons produced in 2011. The average yield in 2012 of 1.90 tons per acre was unchanged from the previous year.

Indiana **POPCORN** growers produced 221.2 million pounds in 2012, down 20 percent from the 2011 level of 276.0 million pounds. Average yield was 2,800 pounds per acre, 1,200 pounds per acre less than the 4,000 pounds per acre averaged a year earlier.

PEPPERMINT production of 510,000 pounds decreased 15 percent from 2011. Average yield was 51 pounds per acre compared with 57 pounds per acre a year earlier.

SPEARMINT production of 224,000 pounds was up 66 percent from the 135,000 pounds produced in 2011. Average yield was 70 pounds per acre, down 1 pound from the previous year.

APPLE production, at 4.5 million pounds, decreased 77 percent below the 2011 level of 20.0 million pounds.

BLUEBERRY production decreased 6 percent to a total of 1.5 million pounds.

SOURCE: USDA-NASS, *Crop Production 2012 Summary*, January 11, 2013.

ANNUAL CROP SUMMARY: Acreage and Yield

INDIANA AND UNITED STATES

2011 – 2012

Crop	Acres Planted for All Purposes			Acres for Harvest			Yield Per Acre	
	2011	2012	2012 as a percent of 2011	2011	2012	2012 as a percent of 2011	2011	2012
	(Thousands)	(Thousands)	(Percent)	(Thousands)	(Thousands)	(Percent)		
<u>Indiana</u>								
All Corn	5,900	6,250	106	---	---	---	---	---
Corn for Grain	---	---	---	5,750	6,030	105	146	99
Corn for Silage	---	---	---	120	170	142	20.0	12.5
Soybeans	5,300	5,150	97	5,290	5,140	97	45.5	43.5
Winter Wheat	430	350	81	400	300	75	62	67
Oats	15	15	100	7	5	72	61	70
All Hay	---	---	---	670	630	94	2.84	2.34
Alfalfa Hay	---	---	---	300	280	93	4.00	2.90
Other Hay	---	---	---	370	350	95	1.90	1.90
Popcorn	71	80	113	69	79	115	4,000	2,800
Peppermint	---	---	---	10.5	10.0	95	57	51
Spearmint	---	---	---	1.9	3.2	169	71	70
Apples	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Blueberries	---	---	---	0.650	0.400	62	2,460	3,750
<u>United States</u>								
All Corn	91,936	97,155	106	---	---	---	---	---
Corn for Grain	---	---	---	83,989	87,375	104	147.2	123.4
Corn for Silage	---	---	---	5,935	7,379	124	18.4	15.4
Soybeans	75,046	77,198	103	73,776	76,104	103	41.9	39.6
All Wheat	54,409	55,736	102	45,705	48,991	107	43.7	46.3
Winter Wheat	40,646	41,324	102	32,314	34,834	108	46.2	47.2
Durum Wheat	1,369	2,123	155	1,312	2,102	160	38.5	39.0
Other Spring Wheat	12,394	12,289	99	12,079	12,055	100	37.7	45.0
Oats	2,496	2,760	111	939	1,045	111	57.1	61.3
Rye	1,266	1,300	103	242	248	103	26.1	28.0
All Sorghum	5,481	6,244	114	---	---	---	---	---
Sorghum for Grain	---	---	---	3,929	4,955	126	54.6	49.8
Sorghum for Silage	---	---	---	224	363	162	10.3	11.4
All Hay	---	---	---	55,653	56,260	101	2.36	2.13
Alfalfa Hay	---	---	---	19,213	17,292	90	3.40	3.01
Other Hay	---	---	---	36,440	38,968	107	1.81	1.74
Tobacco, All	---	---	---	325.0	336.2	104	1,841	2,268
Potatoes, All	1,099.2	1,148.3	105	1,077.0	1,132.7	107	399	412
Peppermint	---	---	---	74.0	76.0	103	89	87
Spearmint	---	---	---	17.3	20.0	116	132	120
Apples	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Blueberries	---	---	---	72.5	77.7	107	6,030	5,940

ANNUAL CROP SUMMARY: Production and Value

INDIANA AND UNITED STATES

2011 - 2012

Crop	Total Production			Unit	Price Per Unit		Value of Production	
	2011	2012	2012 as a percent of 2011		2011	2012	2011	2012
	(Thousands)		(Percent)		(Dollars)		(Thousand Dollars)	
<u>Indiana</u>								
All Corn	---	---			---	---	---	---
Corn for Grain	839,500	596,970	71	Bu	6.31	7.45	5,297,245	4,447,427
Corn for Silage	2,400	2,125	89	Tons	---	---	---	---
Soybeans	240,695	223,590	93	Bu	12.70	14.60	3,056,827	3,264,414
Winter Wheat	24,800	20,100	81	Bu	6.53	7.35	161,944	147,735
Oats	427	350	82	Bu	4.25	4.30	1,815	1,505
All Hay	1,903	1,477	78	Tons	163.00	208.00	287,997	307,335
Alfalfa Hay	1,200	812	68	Tons	182.00	245.00	218,400	198,940
Other Hay	703	665	95	Tons	99.00	163.00	69,597	108,395
Popcorn	276,000	221,200	80	Lbs	.2580	.2500	71,208	55,300
Peppermint	599	510	85	Lbs	27.70	28.00	16,592	14,280
Spearmint	135	224	166	Lbs	20.00	20.30	2,700	4,547
Apples	20,000	4,500	23	Lbs	.398	.396	7,166	1,784
Blueberries	1,600	1,500	94	Lbs	1.800	1.880	2,880	2,820
<u>United States</u>								
All Corn	---	---						
Corn for Grain	12,359,612	10,780,296	87	Bu	6.22	7.20	76,939,603	77,351,937
Corn for Silage	109,094	113,450	104	Tons	---	---	---	---
Soybeans	3,093,524	3,014,998	98	Bu	12.50	14.30	38,497,710	43,194,345
All Wheat	1,999,347	2,269,117	114	Bu	7.24	7.90	14,322,909	17,943,343
Winter Wheat	1,493,677	1,645,202	110	Bu	6.81	7.65	10,158,214	12,547,275
Durum Wheat	50,482	81,956	162	Bu	9.68	8.35	476,607	698,057
Other Spring Wheat	455,188	541,959	119	Bu	8.24	8.50	3,688,088	4,698,011
Oats	53,649	64,024	119	Bu	3.49	3.80	189,263	248,918
Rye	6,326	6,944	110	Bu	7.76	7.69	49,063	53,370
All Sorghum	---	---			---	---	---	---
Sorghum for Grain	214,443	246,932	115	Bu	10.70	12.80	1,268,524	1,633,621
Sorghum for Silage	2,298	4,135	180	Tons	---	---	---	---
All Hay	131,216	119,878	91	Tons	178.00	191.00	18,251,166	18,557,653
Alfalfa Hay	65,332	52,049	80	Tons	196.00	211.00	10,917,174	10,406,796
Other Hay	65,884	67,829	103	Tons	132.00	144.00	7,333,992	8,150,857
Tobacco, All	598,252	762,441	128	Lbs	1.856	2.042	1,110,137	1,557,076
Potatoes, All	429,647	467,126	109	Cwt	9.41	8.39	4,040,568	3,914,949
Peppermint	6,570	6,605	101	Lbs	23.00	24.10	151,427	158,856
Spearmint	2,286	2,390	105	Lbs	18.60	19.50	42,438	46,607
Apples	9,425.0	9,061.1	96	Lbs	0.303	.343	2,823,401	3,088,915
Blueberries	443,200	473,350	107	Lbs	1.850	1.690	807,576	781,808

Indiana Corn, Soybeans and Wheat District Estimates

Acreage, Yield and Production, 2012

District	Planted Acres		Harvested Acres		Yield		Production	
	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012
	(Thousands)		(Thousands)		(Bushels)		(Thousands)	
	Corn							
NW	1,005	1,045	968	1,006	157.8	127.9	152,715	128,634
NC	800	831	769	788	151.6	112.6	116,569	88,765
NE	555	595	529	560	132.5	105.2	70,075	58,924
WC	725	765	716	745	153.2	88.8	109,700	66,143
C	1,185	1,228	1,172	1,204	142.0	99.4	166,465	119,701
EC	480	523	473	508	142.8	96.8	67,525	49,164
SW	745	839	733	813	149.8	68.0	109,825	55,250
SC	210	222	201	210	121.4	61.0	24,411	12,800
SE	195	202	189	196	117.5	89.7	22,215	17,589
State	5,900	6,250	5,750	6,030	146.0	99.0	839,500	596,970
	Soybeans							
NW	610	600	609	600	47.0	46.7	28,646	28,007
NC	615	597	614	597	47.3	46.3	29,038	27,657
NE	607	593	606	592	43.6	49.7	26,430	29,417
WC	645	626	644	624	46.7	37.0	30,090	23,057
C	1,149	1,118	1,148	1,116	47.3	45.2	54,351	50,414
EC	560	534	559	533	46.8	46.8	26,182	24,950
SW	668	621	666	618	43.4	36.6	28,902	22,606
SC	205	207	204	206	36.8	36.5	7,514	7,535
SE	241	254	240	253	39.8	39.2	9,542	9,947
State	5,300	5,150	5,290	5,140	45.5	43.5	240,695	223,590
	Wheat							
NW	31.8	26.4	29.4	16.3	72.1	70.4	2,119	1,147
NC	42.2	34.1	36.7	26.6	65.9	63.8	2,419	1,690
NE	78.1	65.1	77.3	61.6	65.3	70.3	5,045	4,333
WC	26.8	23.4	23.7	18.9	57.6	63.8	1,366	1,206
C	51.2	44.3	49.4	40.0	61.7	73.9	3,047	2,954
EC	34.0	27.4	32.8	26.4	61.1	73.6	2,004	1,944
SW	130.5	98.2	119.6	87.7	60.8	63.0	7,268	5,526
SC	18.6	15.9	16.0	10.6	53.0	56.8	848	602
SE	16.8	15.2	15.1	11.9	45.3	58.1	684	691
State	430.0	350.0	400.0	300.0	62.0	67.0	24,800	20,100

SOURCE: USDA-NASS, Indiana Field Office, March 2013.

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